

Fair and cooler to-day; to-morrow probably fair.  
Temperatures yesterday—Maximum, 64; minimum, 68.

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## MURDER CHARGE AGAINST LAWYER; ARREST TO-DAY

Warrant Issued by Middletown Authorities for B. W. Gibson in Szabo Case.

## JIU JITSU USED TO KILL

Coroner's Physician Says Austrian Noblewoman Was Strangled by Japanese Trick.

New York, Sept. 11.—Burton W. Gibson, a prominent New York lawyer, several of whose clients have disappeared or died under mysterious circumstances, leaving valuable estates in his care, will be arrested on the charge of murder, as he steps from his train at the Hudson Terminal in this city to-morrow morning. The crime of which he will be accused is the killing of Rosa Menschik Szabo, a pretty Austrian woman, who died while boating with Gibson, at Greenwood Lake, N. Y., about a month ago. Gibson will be charged with the killing of the strange jiu jitsu trick—strangulation accomplished by means of a blow on the Adam's apple in the throat of the woman.

## JIU JITSU TRICK USED.

"It is a jiu jitsu trick of great ingenuity," a physician said. "All that was necessary was a single sharp thrust of the thumb at the apex of the neck. It can be delivered in a fraction of a minute. Paralysis of the nerves of the throat follows instantly, and at the same time the organs are displaced so that the windpipe becomes jammed and an intake of air is absolutely impossible."

On this testimony Judge Royce at once issued the warrant for Gibson's arrest. It was immediately handed over to Deputy Sheriff William De Graaf for service here.

If the crime of which Gibson is accused is unusual, and if the series of remarkable coincidences which have followed him through life are unusual, the central figure in this weird tragedy is one of the strangest characters that has dawned upon the country.

Burton W. Gibson is about thirty-five years old, broad of shoulders, but otherwise of slender build, light complexioned, with rusty brown hair, gray eyes, slanting forehead, and shuffling gait.

It is in the eyes and hands that he stands out from among his fellow-men. The eyes slant and have an inclination to droop. When he talks the upper lip shows a tendency to flutter, and he gesticulates with two great hands, the fingers of which are of unusual length, muscular and powerful.

Little is known of his law practice save that it has run to the management and settlement of estates. He is of English descent but has lived most of his life in Brooklyn. His public career is chiefly identified with the strange series of mysterious deaths which have come to light since 1897.

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That he secured control of the estate of the late Mrs. Szabo is a fact.

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## CONNECTICUT G. O. P. NOMINATES TICKET

J. F. Studley Chosen as gubernatorial Candidate on Third Ballot. Administration Is Indorsed.

Hartford, Conn., Sept. 11.—J. F. Studley was nominated as the third ballot for governor by the Republican State convention here this afternoon. There were four candidates, including Lieut. Gov. Blackwell and Senator Peck, of Danbury, who was nominated for lieutenant governor; G. B. Carlson, of Middletown, for secretary of state, and Walter Holmes, of Waterbury, for treasurer.

Warren Indorsement of the Taft administration was a feature of the platform adopted by the convention. "The President's administration was characterized as one of unswerving honesty and integrity, and the country at the height of prosperity."

The Taft tariff board plan was indorsed and the party pledged to find a way to secure loans on farm property and to advance agricultural interests, as well as to the enactment of an adequate workmen's compensation act.

CATTLE PRICE RECORD BROKEN. Steers Sell for \$10.00 a Hundred and May Soar to \$11.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—The highest price ever paid for cattle, \$10.00 a hundred, was paid to-day at the Stock Yards for fifteen head of 1,700-pound steers for the New York butcher trade.

Big corn-fed cattle are scarcer than ever before, and the price is expected to go to \$11 within a day or two.

ALLENS TO DIE NOVEMBER 22.

Wethersville, Va., Sept. 11.—Flynn and Claude Allen, convicted of murder in the first degree in connection with the shooting up of the Hillville courthouse, when five persons were killed, were sentenced to-day to be executed on November 22.

\$2.00 to Luray, Va., and Return.

Baltimore and Annapolis Special. Sunday September 16th. Special train leaves Union Station 11:15 a. m.

## DENTISTS HEAR DR. WILEY ON T. R. AND TEETH

Famous Food Expert Says Bull Moose Has the Best Cartoon Molars.

## FACTIONS IN COMPROMISE

Many Papers On Scientific Questions Are Read—Women at Mount Vernon.

Although a pronounced enemy of the Bull Moose party and particularly of its leader, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley paid a telling compliment to T. R.'s teeth, as far as their value is concerned for purposes of political cartoons, at the meeting last night of the National Dental Association, which is in annual convention at the New Willard.

Dr. Logan, chairman of Section 2 of the association, presided. "Teeth in political cartoons never had such an important function as they have had for the past few years. Those are the kind of teeth the people ought to have. If all the soldiers who battle for the third at Armageddon have teeth like those, they will be equipped with the most effective weapon with which to meet the enemy." This humorous sally of Dr. Wiley was received with wild applause.

Every now and then Dr. Wiley referred to politics, never though in a serious strain. Upon entering the hall he was greeted with applause, and when after being introduced by Dr. Logan Dr. Wiley said that when he entered the hall he thought, judging from the severe simplicity of the attire (the man in the white shirt sleeves) of the male members of the association this was a Democratic ratification meeting, but that the shouting convinced him that he was in the house of the Bull Moose, which remark was loudly applauded. At another part, Dr. Wiley referred to the fact that he is a member of the Annapolis Club. Looking intently into the faces of his audience, Dr. Wiley in mock seriousness exclaimed: "We Democrats have not had a chance to defend at the public crib for many years. Judging from your well fed faces, though, I am convinced that I am not addressing Democrats who believe in Wilson; that's all."

## Practical Socialism.

Socialism received its praise from the speaker in unstinted measure. He said: "We are becoming more socialistic every year, and think that the state must care for our welfare. Public education and the public school is a step toward socialism, and the state must care for our children and for their health. The time will come when every physician and dentist will be an officer of the government and paid by the government to take care of the people's health and teeth."

In opening his address, Dr. Wiley characterized eating as "the principal industry of mankind," and he devoted the opinion that the efforts of manufacturers to furnish prechewed and predigested foods for the human race is destined to be a woeful failure. Inasmuch as the teeth of people will continue to decay, and scientifically used and cared for, and not left to rust and to be relegated to the scrap heap, the speaker asserted, "The normal man will continue in the future to do his own grinding and he will enjoy it just as much as he has in the past."

Dr. Wiley referred to an incident on the teeth of the mass of the dental and medical profession and the vastly greater mass of the laity consider dental service as a means for the prevention of pain and the preservation of restoration of teeth for cosmetic reasons only.

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## SECRETARY KNOX VISITS EMPEROR

New Japanese Ruler Welcomes Cabinet Officer—Visits Late Mikado's Bier.

Tokyo, September 11.—Secretary of State Philander C. Knox, special envoy of the United States to the funeral of the late Emperor Meiji, arrived here this afternoon. He was met by the Japanese cabinet officer, Mr. Kato, and was taken to the residence of the late Emperor Meiji, where he was to spend the night.

Following the luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Knox paid a visit to the chamber where the remains of the late Mikado are lying in state. This was the most impressive part of the day's ceremonies. Around the bier when the party entered the death chamber were a number of the members of the imperial household who have kept unceasing vigil since the Mikado's death on July 31.

Return trip to California. Return different route. Tourist sleeping cars personally conducted without charge. Leave Washington September 15th. Arrive Los Angeles September 22nd. Arrive San Francisco September 25th. Arrive Portland September 28th. Arrive Seattle September 31st.

WOMAN HELD IN MURDER CASE. Esther Kapitanski in Jail Pending Coroner's Investigation.

New York, Sept. 11.—Esther Kapitanski, twenty-three years old, of Newark, N. J., was held without bail by Magistrate Harpin in Brooklyn to-day, pending further investigation into the death of Samuel Kaplan, who was found dead, his face seared with carbolic acid burns, in a park at Canaan, late last night.

A serious charge it was said will be lodged against the girl as soon as Detective Groom, of Brooklyn headquarters, who is making an investigation, can complete his work.

Reuben Kaplan, a brother of the dead man, charged that he was murdered.

## Paul Peck Falls 200 Feet at Chicago CAPITAL BOY LOSES CONTROL OF BIPLANE

Rushed to Hospital, Will Die of Injuries

Spectators Groan as Aeroplane Quivers, Tips, and Crashes to the Earth.

Chicago, Sept. 11.—Caught by a sharp gust of wind when about 200 feet from the ground, Aviator Paul Peck, of Washington, D. C., and his Columbia biplane were hurled to the ground late this afternoon at Cicero Flying Field. The brilliant young birdman was so terribly crushed that he is dying at St. Anthony de Padua Hospital.

He was descending from his last contemplated flight of the day in the biplane which he personally developed and which was expected to perform wonders in the aviation meet beginning to-morrow. Twice during the afternoon he made brilliant flights. On his last flight he had ascended to a height of about 300 feet, and with the eyes of 1,000 spectators fixed upon him began his descent.

He descended in long, sweeping spirals until he was nearly 200 feet from the ground. Suddenly something went wrong and from the long, birdlike swoop the biplane suddenly quivered, quivered, and then tipped sharply downward.

Peck struggled with his controls, and for an instant appeared to have regained the mastery of the air, but an instant later the machine again dipped, and as the spectators groaned in horror the biplane and aviator dropped like a plummet.

With a crash that resounded all over the field the machine struck the ground, alighting on its tail. Peck was pinned under the wreckage, with the heavy gyro engine resting partly on his chest and neck. The wreckage was immediately cleared, and Peck was rushed to the hospital in an ambulance. He was unconscious and bleeding from a score of cuts.

He is not expected to survive the night. Both arms and legs, several ribs, and his shoulder blades are said to be broken. His skull is fractured, and he sustained internal injuries.

## Three Fliers Dead; Two Hurt in Day

Dresden, Saxony, Sept. 11.—Lieut. Zimmerman and Lieut. Siebert, members of the aerial corps of the Red army, in the maneuvers going on here, fell in their aeroplane while scouting to-day. The monoplane fell about 300 feet.

Lieut. Zimmerman received after an hour's treatment by physicians. Siebert died about two hours after the accident.

Greene, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Death claimed the 18th victim of aviation to-day when William Chambers, of Danbury, Conn., died as the result of injuries he received last week in an aviation accident. He was performing in an attempt to save his life when he was killed.

Athens, Greece, Sept. 11.—While flying off shore near Patras to-day aviator Marzenlakakis fell from his machine into the sea and was drowned.

Tamale, Belgium, Sept. 11.—Aviator Bussone sustained a severe injury to the head and his machine suffered a fractured skull when Bussone's machine fell into a tree during the hydroaeroplane meet to-day.

## Catholic Priest Lends Parish Hall for Hebrew Service

New York, Sept. 11.—For the first time, it is believed, in the history of the Hebrew faith are using to-day the parish hall of a Catholic church, in which to celebrate the feast of Rosh Hashana, ushering in the Jewish year 5673, and beginning the ten-day period of prayer, which ends with Yom Kippur, on September 21.

Jewish residents of Flatbush, a suburb of New York, were unable to find a hall for the celebration of the feast. Then Father Hickey, of St. Brendan's Catholic Church, came forward. "I can let you use my church," said he, "but I will give you the parish hall. And he did, refusing to accept any payment for his use."

"From time immemorial," said Father Hickey to-night, "the Jews have been willing to aid the believers of the Catholic faith. Surely, in the broad morality of this modern age, I may give, so far as I can, to the aid of those who worship God."

## JOHN T. BRUSH, OWNER OF NEW YORK GIANTS, IN AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

New York, Sept. 11.—Hurled to the street from his automobile in collision with a mail wagon this afternoon, John T. Brush, owner of the New York Giants, barely escaped serious injury. The auto was overturned and wrecked, and Mr. Brush was thrown clear of the wreckage.

Another auto was found and the injured manager was rushed to the Edgewood Hotel, where a physician attended him. Mr. Brush's health has been poor for some time, and it was feared that the shock might have affected him quite as much as the physical injuries.

It was stated, however, that Mr. Brush was not seriously hurt.

## MUTES ARE MARRIED BY MEANS OF TYPEWRITTEN COPIES OF WEDDING VOWS

Baltimore, Sept. 11.—By means of two typewritten copies of the wedding ceremony, which they read as the minister conducted the service, two mutes were married to-day by Rev. Dr. L. M. Zimmerman, of Christ English Lutheran Church. The unusual ceremony was conducted by the minister in every particular as though the contracting parties could hear. The marriage was by ring and time was given for the couple to sign their names in lieu of verbal assent.

## FALLS IN BIPLANE AT CHICAGO FIELD



PAUL PECK, Washington aviator, who is dying of injuries in hospital.

## BECKER GRANTED DELAY BY COURT

Trial Set for October 7—Committee to Summon Waldo Friday.

New York, Sept. 11.—The defense for Police Lieut. Charles Becker, accused of having instigated the murder of Gambler Herman Rosenthal, gained a delay of three weeks in the trial of the indicted police official to-day. On motion of Becker's attorney, John F. McIntyre, Justice Hisechoff granted an order for the appointment of a commission to take the testimony of the three witnesses in Hot Springs, Ark.

This order carries with it a stay in the Becker trial, which was to have begun to-morrow, until the first Monday in October 7. The three witnesses to be examined in Hot Springs are Acting Mayor Thomas Pettit, J. H. Hotchkiss, an editor, and George Sullivan, who had seen Schupp, the alleged paymaster of the murder gang, in custody in the Western resort.

Assistant District Attorney Frank Moss, representing the State, opposed the motion on the grounds that it was designed to delay Becker's trial. Justice Goff, before whom Becker is to be tried, has the power to set aside the order granted by Justice Hisechoff, but it is doubtful if judicial courtesy will permit him to do so.

Members of the Aldermanic investigation committee decided today that instead of waiting until next Monday to examine Police Commissioner Waldo, they would begin his examination Friday. A new subpoena summoning Waldo to City Hall was served on him.

Members of the committee and its counsel are well pleased with the results of the examination of Mayor Gaynor on Tuesday afternoon. While the Mayor and his friends were congratulating themselves yesterday on his "success in handling the committee," Emory R. Backner, chief counsel to the committee, and his assistants are delighted with the Mayor's testimony.

## 8,500 VETERANS MARCH IN PARADE

Grand Army Passes Through Streets of California City with the Spirit of '61.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 11.—The Grand Army of the Republic has the same old spirit still. It is undaunted, though it limps in spots, and miraculously perennial.

In the grand parade of the forty-sixth national annual encampment, 8,500 old soldiers, the heroic remnants of the republic's grand army of '61-'65, marched to-day along the streets of Los Angeles in an inspiring way, and reeked the words of time from their shoulders as though it were a bit of dust. They "heaped" along in columns that would have pleased the eye of a drill sergeant, and they seemed to be marching, not in Los Angeles and in the year 1912, but rather in the heroic time of Gettysburg, Shiloh, and the Wilderness.

The streets which framed the picture were so thickly overhung with colors as to form almost a ceiling. The "mural" decorations were the people of Los Angeles, more than 30,000. Women and girls strewn flowers before the old soldiers along the line of march.

When it was finished Commander in Chief Harvey M. Trimble exclaimed: "It is the greatest parade ever held by the Grand Army. Perhaps it is the last, for such processions are a great strain on the fast-fading strength of the veterans."

To-night a great camp fire reunion was held at Shrine Auditorium.

## MOTORCART ACCIDENT LEADS TO THREE CYCLISTS QUITTING RACING GAME

Newark, N. J., Sept. 11.—Appalled by the motorcart catastrophe, in which Eddie Hensley and John Albright, motorcyclists, were killed, three riders to-day yielded to the appeals of their wives and abandoned the sport forever.

The three who quit are George Hamilton, John Constant, and Ferdinand Merzler. The trio did not take part in the races at Brighton Beach last night, nor will they appear on any track again. All are well known. Hamilton has been riding two or three years. Constant holds the world's amateur championship, and Merzler, who was one of Hensley's intimate friends, has been riding five or six years.

## POLICE SEE DEATH PACT IN MURDER AND SUICIDE IN BOSTON HOTEL

Boston, Sept. 11.—A death pact is believed by the police to be behind the killing of Mabel Slayton, a young woman, whose address is unknown, at the Preble House, 123 Court Street, early to-day by Frank E. Ogilvie, a Melrose young man, who afterward shot himself in the right temple. The young woman died at the Relief Hospital within half an hour from a bullet wound in the head. Ogilvie is not expected to live more than a few hours. Some sheet music containing the words, "Let's Forget Woe Ever Met," which was found in the hotel room, strengthens the theory that the couple had resolved to die together. The song was open at the last verse, where a line reads: "Until we say good-bye."

Two seats for a Boston theater were also found. Apparently the two had resolved to spend their last hours on earth as happily as possible.

## FEARING LYNCHING, SHERIFF TAKES PRISONERS FROM ANNAPOLIS TO BALTIMORE

Annapolis, Md., Sept. 11.—Following strong intimations that a lynching was in the air, Sheriff Beasley left here this afternoon for Baltimore with two colored men and a colored woman, who are charged with a murderous assault upon Elias Stallings, an aged farmer of the third district of this county. The prisoners will be kept in Baltimore until conditions in this neighborhood become quiet.

\$1.00 to Frederick, Antietam, and Annapolis, and return. Baltimore and Annapolis Special. Sunday September 16th. Special train leaves Union Station 11:15 a. m.

## \$42,500,000 AUTO CONCERN TO GO IN BANKRUPTCY

United States Motors Company Reported on Verge of Collapse—Banks Implicated.

## SCANDAL IN WALL STREET Investors Misled, Is Charge—Morgan Interests and Perkins Behind Amalgamation.

New York, Sept. 11.—It was learned from inside sources to-night that the United States Motors Company, a \$42,500,000 corporation will be thrown into bankruptcy. The collapse of this project forms one of the worst scandals in Wall Street finance. Some of the most influential banking houses of the United States were behind the formation of the combination in 1910, and the public were completely misled concerning the stability of the concern.

George W. Perkins was reputed to be one of the inspirers of the amalgamation, while Morgan institutions have figured prominently in its financing.

Last year the preferred stock sold above \$60 per share, whereas to-day it collapsed to only \$42.50. The common stock last year went to \$42 per share; it was quoted at only \$1 bid this afternoon.

Last year an issue of \$5,000,000 bonds was disposed of at 92, notwithstanding that the condition of the company must have been known to the insiders. Even then, however, many investors found it difficult to see the company's financial condition, and the underwriting syndicate headed by Eugene Meyer, Jr., and company, was left with a large part on their hands.

As late as last December, President Benjamin Brice, in his annual report to stockholders made this statement: "Prospects for the company's business during the coming year are exceedingly bright."

Extension Asked Creditors. Yet within six months financial difficulties were encountered to such a degree that creditors were asked to grant an extension of ninety days. The embarrassment of the company so soon after the issue of \$5,000,000 bonds took the financial community by surprise. It is hinted that certain banking institutions scurried to cover the moment the treasury was put in possession of cash, and later refused to supply funds.

That the United States Motors Company did not deal with second-rate institutions is clearly reflected by the personnel of the advisory committee formed several months ago.

The chairman of this committee is George W. Davidson of the Central Trust Company, of New York City. A. H. Wiggin, president of the Chase National Bank, Charles H. Sabin, of the Guaranty Trust Company, Anthony N. Brady, Benjamin Strong, Jr., first vice president of the Bankers' Trust Company, E. S. Williams, of the Rubber Goods Manufacturing Company, and Neal Ransom, of P. S. Moseley & Co., comprise the rest of the committee.

Among the prominent stockholders are Thomas F. Ryan, Herbert L. Satterlee, Harry Payne Whitney, and Richard Irvin. The late John Jacob Astor was also a shareholder. It is stated that these stockholders upon it of \$50 per cent of the total amount outstanding.

Amalgamation of Companies. The United States Motor Company was an amalgamation of the Maxwell-Briscoe Motor Company, Columbia Motor Company, Alden Sampson Manufacturing Company, Dayton Motor Car Company, Courier Car Company, Gray Motor Company, Brush Runabout Company, Briggs Manufacturing Company, and the Providence Engineering Works. The company had factories located at Terrytown, N. Y.; Newcast, Ind.; Providence, R. I.; Newark, N. J.; and Dayton, Ohio.

It is declared by automobile authorities that the total tangible assets were only the merest fraction of the merger total capitalization; that there was gross inflation.

The company seems to have been bled unmercifully. The most recent incident was the unloading upon it of the E. R. Thomas Company, at it is declared, a very high figure. This concern not long ago went under.

A comparison of the company's balance sheet for 1910 and 1911 suggest flagrant manipulation. Among the assets of 1910 was the modest item of \$25,000 of "deferred charges," but by 1911 this was marked up to the huge sum of \$1,700,000. It included "discount and commission on the 6 per cent bond issue."

Just how large this commission was cannot be stated.

Then the elastic item, patents, contracts, and trade-marks, was lifted to the enormous sum of \$1,212,123, notwithstanding that in 1910 this item had been \$100,000.

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## Ice Cream and Onions Followed by Death

Louis Levinson Ate Big Meal—Widow Thinks He Met with Foul Play.

The accompanying is a menu of the feast which Louis Levinson, a baker, twenty-eight years old, enjoyed just prior to his death on August 28 last at his home, 404 Four-and-a-half Street Southwest.

A physician who was summoned when Levinson grew ill pronounced death due to acute indigestion, and the same view of the demise of the baker was held by Coroner J. Ramsey Nevitt.

Two days ago the widow of Levinson informed the police that her husband had come to his end by foul play. She said she had been told he had bruises and cuts on his face.

Detectives who have been working on the case say the bruises and cuts were caused by Levinson falling against a sofa.

## THE FATAL MENU.

Three veal cutlets, breaded, with tomato sauce.  
Pickled watermelon rind.  
French fried potatoes, with onions.  
Apple pie, a la mode.  
Iced tea, with lemon.  
Strawberry ice cream soda.  
Iced ginger ale.

In his home when he fainted from pain and collapsed.

Coroner Nevitt has not determined whether or not the body of Levinson exhumed for the purpose of holding an autopsy. As the body was not exhumed, it will probably be difficult to ascertain the cause of death.

The authorities say there is no evidence of murder and no reason to suspect foul play. They are satisfied that Levinson died from the meal he ate and the refreshments he took just after the meal.

## MEXICAN REBELS ARE PREPARING TO LEAVE BORDER

Information Received at War Department Indicates That Forces Will Move South.

## WRECK RAILROAD PROPERTY

Insurrectos Believed to Be Trying to Unite with Zapatistas and Threaten Mexico City.

That the Mexican rebels are striking their final blow along the border preparatory to moving south was the belief held here yesterday in view of the developments of the last twenty-four hours.

According to War Department information, Gen. Rojas and Campa, with about 1,000 men, have already started their march south. They have destroyed a great deal of railroad property. It is stated for the sole reason that they wish to make it impossible for the approaching Federals to pursue them.

They captured, looted and burned a freight train near Juarez Monday. Threats have been made that all the railway bridges south of Naco and Del Rio, Tex., would be dynamited.

It is believed that the total rebel force, when the present concentration is complete, will total about 3,000 men. The prediction is confidently made here that they have no other purpose than that of effecting a junction with the Zapatistas in Durango and Zacatecas. If this union of forces were accomplished it is believed the rebels would then have a real army, of at least 10,000 men, with which they could menace Mexico City itself.

Cananea Is Relieved. The situation at Cananea has been relieved by the arrival of re-enforcements, bringing the Federal garrison up to more than 500 men. No further anxiety is felt for the American colony there. The arms and ammunition sent south for the Americans at Cananea are being held at Warren, Ariz., because it is not believed safe to attempt to forward them through Mexican territory at this time.

According to the information received at the War Department yesterday, the Federal succeeded in preventing the capture of Olinaga, opposite Presidio, Tex., by the rebels. The latter lost four killed in the fighting, it is stated.

The State Department has received a request from the Southern Pacific Railroad Company that the Mexican government be asked to furnish protection for the railroad property in Mexico. Numerous bridges have been destroyed in the last week or two by rebels, and the railroad company has lost other property through the depredations of the insurrectos.

The railroad's request, which is not by any means the first of the kind received at the State Department, will be transmitted to the American Embassy at Mexico City for presentation to the Mexican government.

Too Late to Stop Damage. It is believed, however, that it is too late to prevent the railroad damage, as it has already been accomplished, according to dispatches received here. All the rebel operations along the border, however, are expected to cease in a few days, with the departure of the rebels from that region. It is not expected by any one that the federal re-enforcements when they arrive will accomplish anything, because of the superior mobility.

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## PASTOR SAYS THAW IS NO MORE INSANE THAN THEODORE ROOSEVELT

Mattawan, N. Y., Sept. 11.—Declaring that Harry K. Thaw is no more insane than is Theodore Roosevelt, Rev. Dr. John A. Wade, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, of New York, to-day expressed the belief that Stanford White's slayer should be liberated.

In this opinion he was backed up by Dr. John R. Wilson, Poughkeepsie's health officer, who accompanied him on his visit to the Mattawan Hospital. Rev. Dr. Wade had been Harry Thaw's close friend long before the tragedy, and is well acquainted with Thaw, who visited here yesterday afternoon. Thaw is in the best of spirits, and is actively planning another attempt to obtain his release.

Awakened Wife; Gashes Throat. Philadelphia, Pa., Sept. 11.—John Clarkson, living at 1306 McClellan Street, awakened his wife this morning and then horrified her by gashing his throat and both wrists with a razor. According to the police, Clarkson had been drinking. He will be given a hearing when he recovers. He has two children and has been out of work for some time.